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Marlene H. Dortch - Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Re: Applications for Consent to Transfer Control of Filed by Verizon
Communications, Inc. and MCI, Inc., WC Docket No. 05-75 -REDACTED

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Yesterday, Bill Barr, Tom Tauke, Mike Glover and Susanne Guyer of Verizon and Anastasia Kelley, Carol Petren, Paul Eskildsen and Rick Whitt of MCI met with Chairman Kevin Martin, Michelle Carey, Legal Advisor to Chairman Martin, Sam Feder, General Counsel, and Tom Navin and Don Stockdale of the Wireline Competition Bureau in connection with the captioned proceeding. In addition to discussing the general status of the proceeding, the Verizon and MCI representatives addressed arguments made by other parties with respect to the limited areas where the companies have overlapping fiber. During the course of the discussion, the companies referred to the attached summary analysis of the overlap areas, the supporting data for which were previously filed in the record, and to certain satellite imagery maps of those areas, which also were previously filed in the record. The discussion was consistent with the companies' previous filings of record. The attachment contains confidential information and has been redacted. A confidential version is being filed with the attachment. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

cc: Chairman Kevin Martin
Michelle Carey
Sam Feder
Tom Navin
Don Stockdale

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